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9. [] LIAISON Marion, in the office of Representative Stewart McKinney (R., Conn.), called Susan McMains and asked for two copies of the report released recently that the Director gave to the Joint Economic Committee. I left word for Marion to call so I could get further details. She had not called back by the end of the day.

10. [] ADMINISTRATIVE DELIVERIES Per her request, mailed the Agency publication entitled "Research Aid - The Soviet Grain Balance, 1960-73" to Ann Woodbridge, on the staff of the Office of Technology Assessment.

11. [] THIRD AGENCY After clearing with O/SA/DO/O, I called Cliff Fowler, GAO, as agreed, to advise him that we had decided to divide our response to several questions he had lodged at his 1 November briefing [] into two parts. This would mean that the first part of our response could be ready for him as early as 18 November, but it was made clear that this was not certain. Mr. Fowler thanked me for the assistance, and we agreed to remain in touch so that we could make an appointment for our next meeting.

12. [] LIAISON Received a telephone call from John W. Nields, Jr., Chief Counsel, House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct. Mr. Nields wished to respond to my question as to whether it would be feasible for the Committee to advance funds to CIA to cover the travel of interviewees, and to have CIA bill the Committee periodically for this travel. Mr. Nields advised me that he had checked and found that it would not be feasible for the Committee to advance the funds, but it is practicable for CIA to bill the Committee anonymously (the names of interviewees would not be included) and the Committee would reimburse CIA periodically for travel already completed. I checked this out with [] Office of Finance, with whom I had discussed the matter earlier. [] continues to believe that it would be better if the Committee would advance the funds, but says the system can be made to work the other way around if necessary.

While Mr. Nields had me on the telephone he said he was interested in acquiring a listing from us of cleared HCSOC staffers. I agreed to furnish him with this, and we exchanged several telephone calls in the course of the day on this matter. Mr. Nields now appears to have all the current information he needs on security clearances.

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